

ABSTRACT

In a toner storage container (30) including a soft toner storage unit (31) that stores toners, the toner storage unit is reduced in volume while being deformed into a constant shape along folds (31a, 31b) when an external pressure is applied to the toner storage unit or an internal pressure of the toner storage is reduced. A through hole (34a) is provided in an outer peripheral surface of the toner storage unit so as not to deform the folds even if a pressure generated when a user grasps the toner storage container is applied to the toner storage unit. Thus, the user can grasp an appropriate portion on the outer peripheral surface so as not to deform the folds during handling time when the user shakes the toner storage container or sets the toner storage container to a container holder.